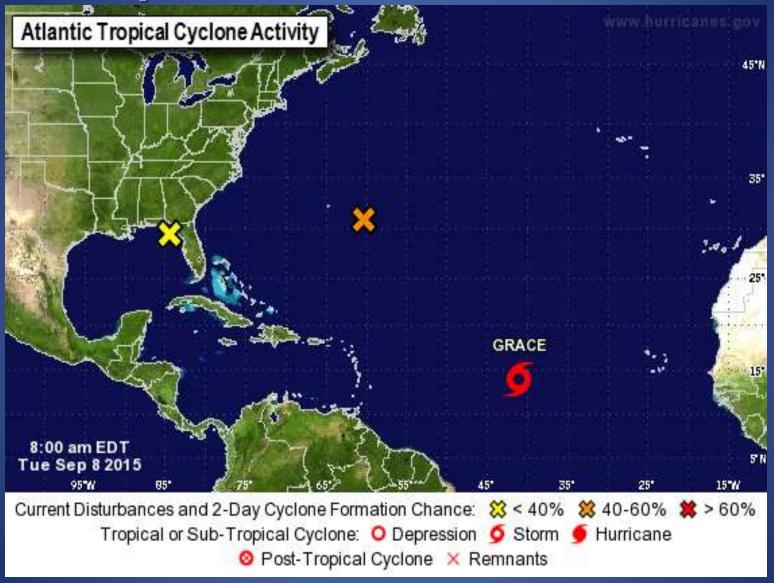
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Situation Awareness
Brief

Tuesday, September 8th 2015 As of 0900 CST

Tropical Weather Awareness



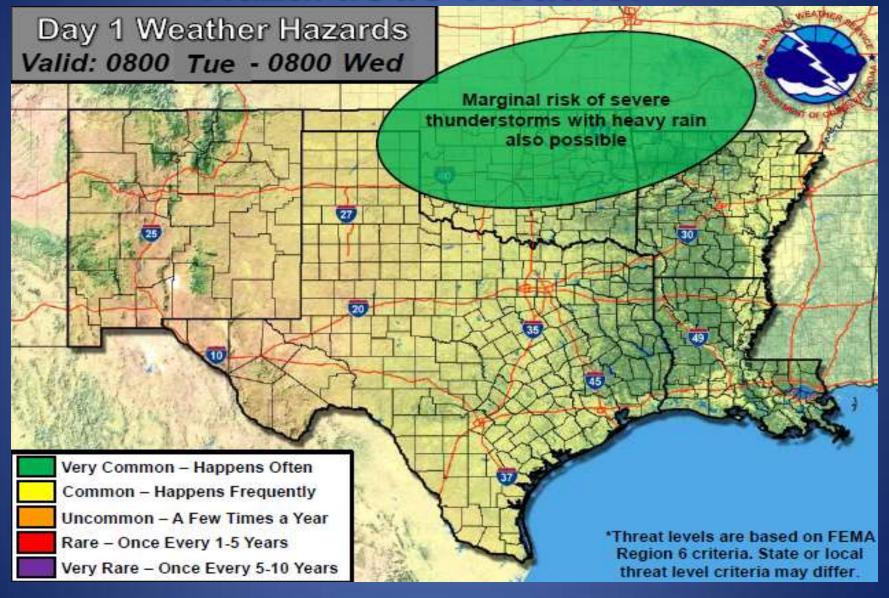
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
09/07/15	Initial Report of a Road Closure (I-37)	Atascosa County	N
09/08/15	Final Report on the Road Closure (IH-37)	Atascosa County	Υ
09/08/15	Initial Report of a Brush Fire	Salineno/Starr County	N

Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT		
09/07/15	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Monday, September 7, 2015 for FEMA Region 6		
09/07/15	NWS El Paso TX/Santa Teresa NM Weather Hazard Outlook		
09/07/15	Texas A&M Forest Service ERC Seasonal Graphs		
09/08/15	2015 Texas Wildfire Event SITREP 28		
09/08/15	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Tuesday, September 8, 2015 for FEMA Region 6		

Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather Day 2-3 Weather Hazards Valid: 0800 Wed - 0800 Fri Locally heavy tainfail possible early weds 27 20. Very Common - Happens Often Common – Happens Frequently Uncommon - A Few Times a Year *Threat levels are based on FEMA Rare - Once Every 1-5 Years Region 6 criteria. State or local Very Rare – Once Every 5-10 Years threat level criteria may differ.

Weather Forecast

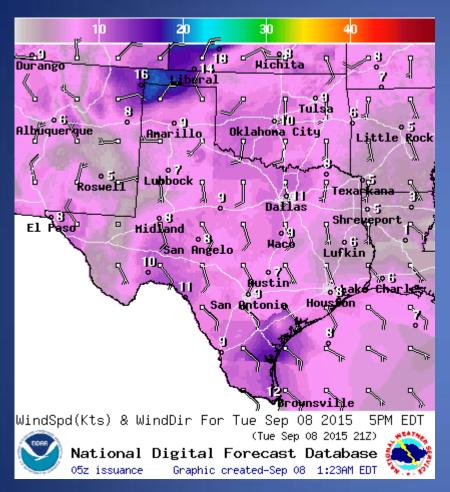


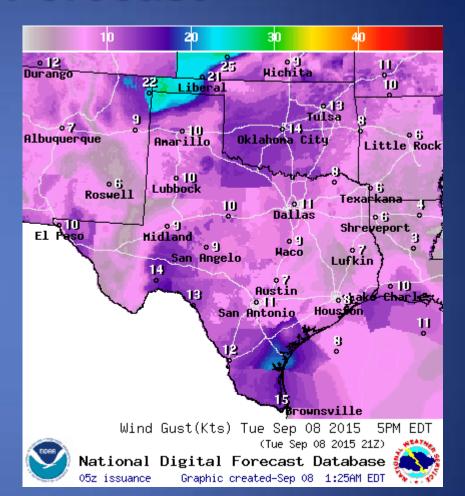


Highs

Lows

Weather Forecast





Wind Speeds

Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Moisture from Hurricane Linda will stream northward but remain west of New Mexico. However the same ole tropical moisture we've seen all summer continues over the Borderland. This moisture is adequate enough to fuel scattered showers and thunderstorms this afternoon. High temperatures will remain above normal as the lowlands experience yet another 90 degree day.



With a return to work after the Labor Day weekend comes a bit of weather for West Texas residents. Scattered thunderstorms are expected to develop this afternoon and possibly congeal into a line which is expected to drift southeastward tonight. Much of the activity will be near a cold front and a few lucky locations may see an inch or two of precipitation. Best rain chances look to be east of the I-27 corridor.

Hazardous Weather



Isolated to scattered showers and thunderstorms will be possible today across South Texas, but should diminish with the loss of daytime heating this evening. Another very warm day is expected with highs near 101 degrees around Laredo to lower and middle 90s over the Coastal Plains and Victoria Crossroads.

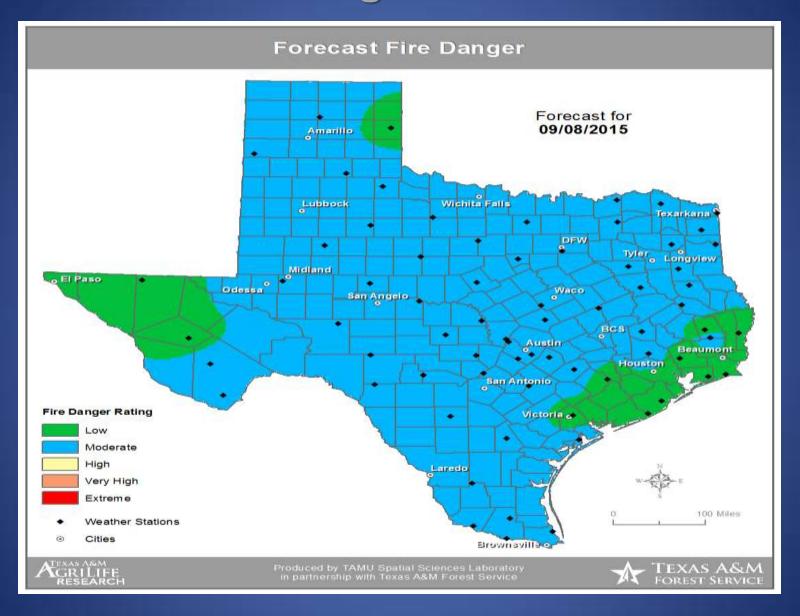


Another hot day is in store for North Texas with high in the mid to upper 90s and heat index values between 100 and 103 degrees. There is a 10-20% chance of thunderstorms this afternoon across the region but better rain and storm chances arrive later tonight as a cold front moves into the area.

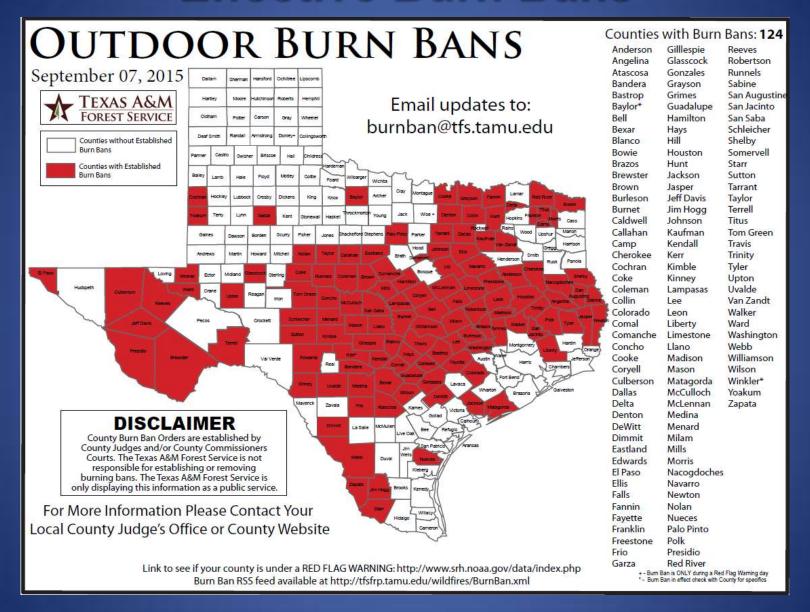
Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION	
09/07/15	Significant Weather Advisory	Deaf Smith County	

Fire Danger Forecast

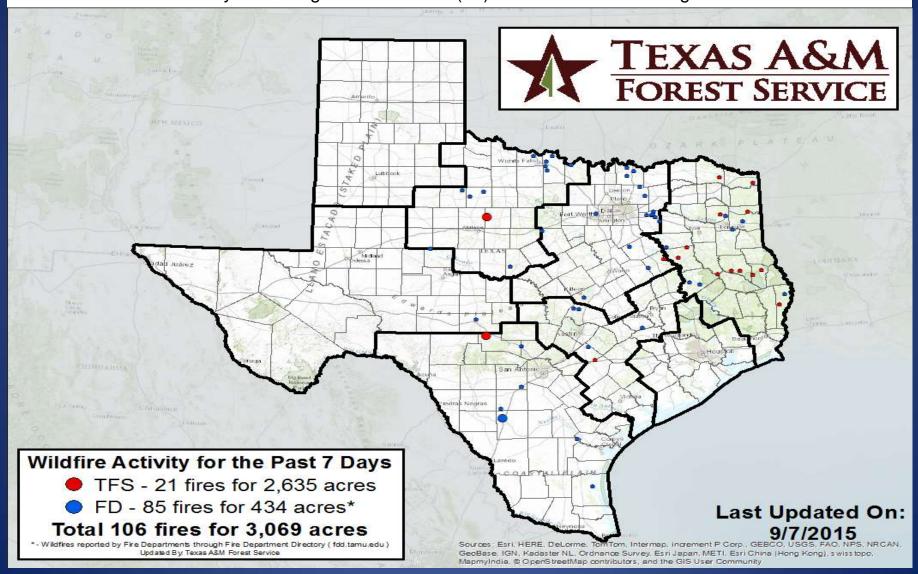


Effective Burn Bans



Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 466 (+2) fires and 47,841 (+21) acres destroyed this year. There are 124 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 214 (+3) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
09/07/15	09/11/15	NFPA 1006 2008 Edition Confined Space Rescue Levels I and II Training (Pro-Board Certificates)	H-503	Tyler
09/08/15	09/08/15	Disaster Accounting 101 (Module 2)	T-600.b	Conroe

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
08/31/15	09/17/15	Longview	Gregg County Fair – Maude Cobb Complex

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
09/08/15	09/09/15	Joint Base San Antonio (JBSA)/JBSA-Randolph, Lackland, Ft Sam Houston, Camp Bullis	Full Scale: Active Shooter Exercise (2-day to include Recovery Operations)
09/08/15	09/08/15	City of Gainesville OEM/Gainesville	Seminar: City of Gainesville Annex Plan